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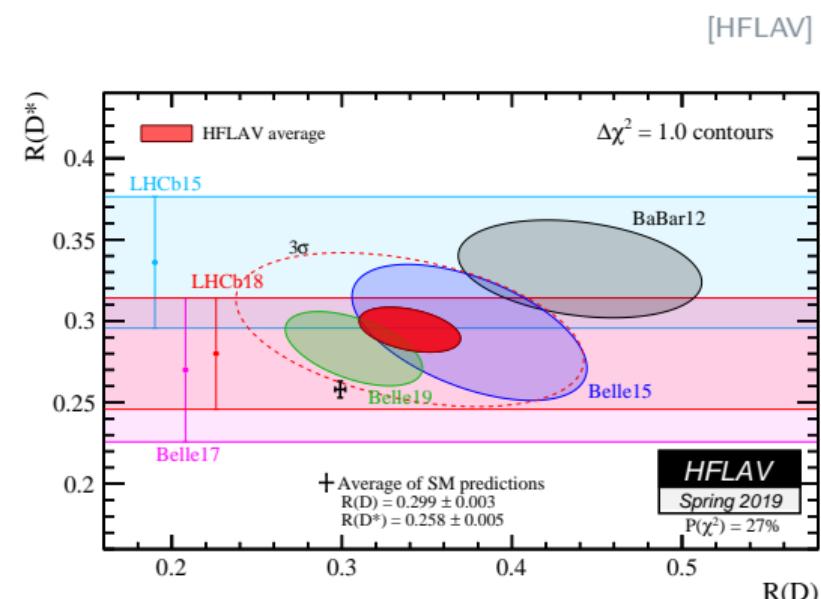
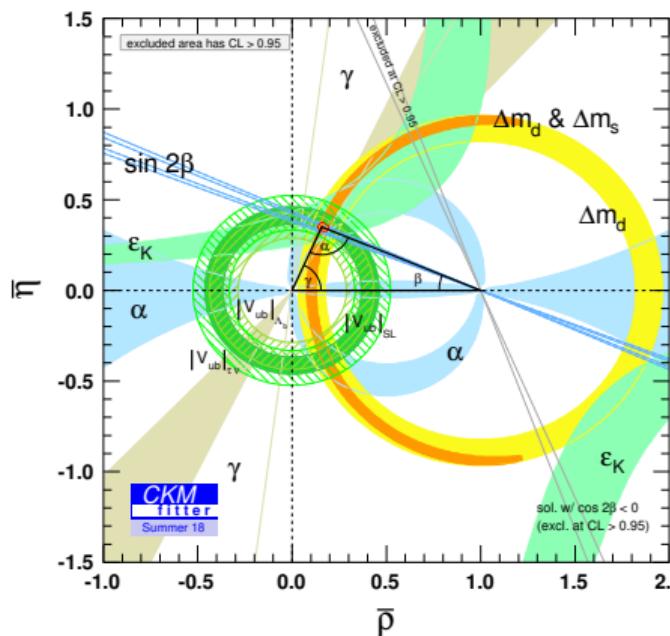
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# introduction

# Motivation

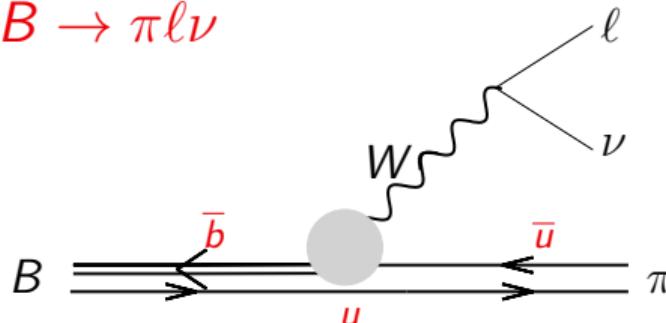
- ▶ Determine CKM matrix elements, fundamental parameters of the Standard Model
- ▶ Predict processes to test Standard Model or discover new physics

[<http://ckmfitter.in2p3.fr>]

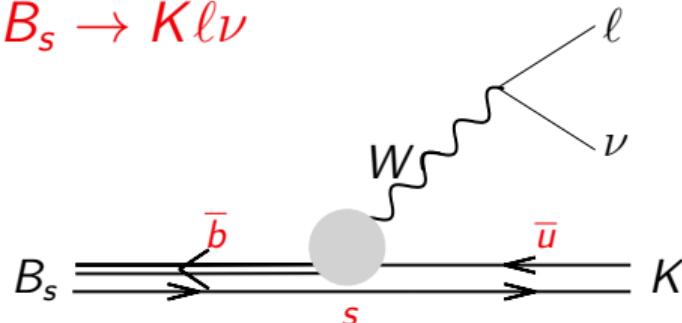


## $|V_{ub}|$ from exclusive

$B \rightarrow \pi\ell\nu$



$B_s \rightarrow K\ell\nu$



- $B \rightarrow \pi\ell\nu$  and  $B \rightarrow D\ell\nu$  presented by Ryan C. Hill
- Only spectator quark differs
- Lattice QCD prefers  $s$  quark over  $u$  quark: statistically more precise, computationally cheaper
- $B$  factories run at  $\Upsilon(4s)$  threshold  $\Rightarrow$   $B$  mesons
- LHC collisions create many  $B$  and  $B_s$  mesons which decay  $\Rightarrow$  LHCb
  - LHCb prefers the ratio  $(B_s \rightarrow D_s\ell\nu)/(B_s \rightarrow K\ell\nu) \Rightarrow |V_{cb}/V_{ub}|$

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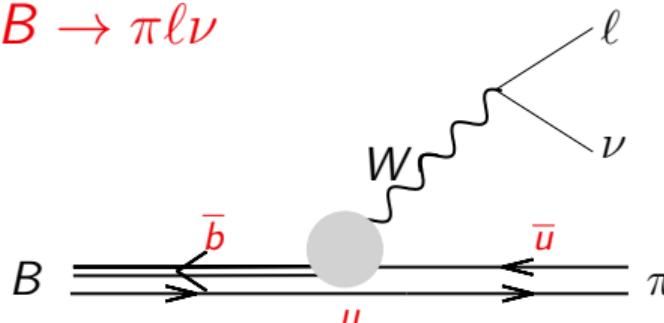
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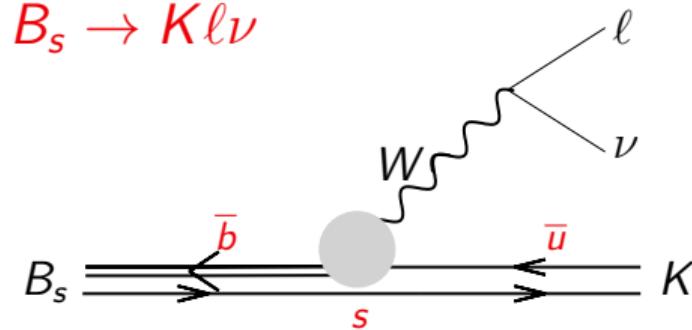
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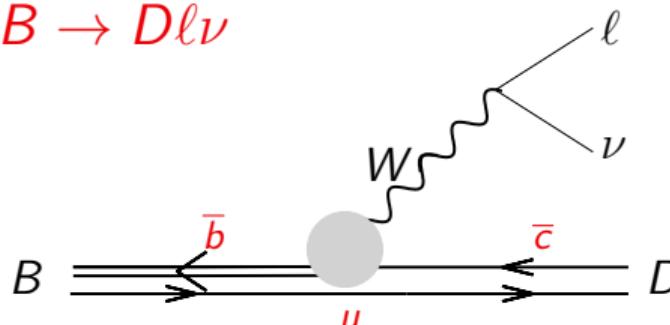


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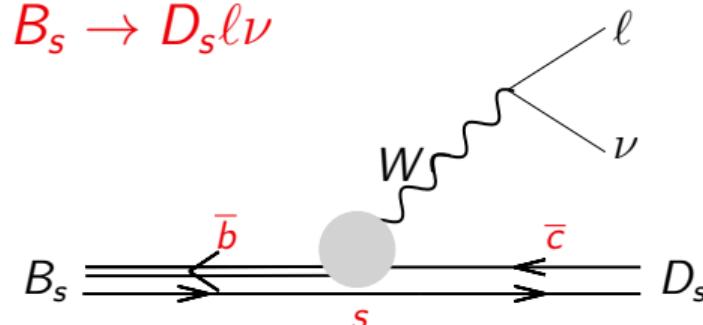


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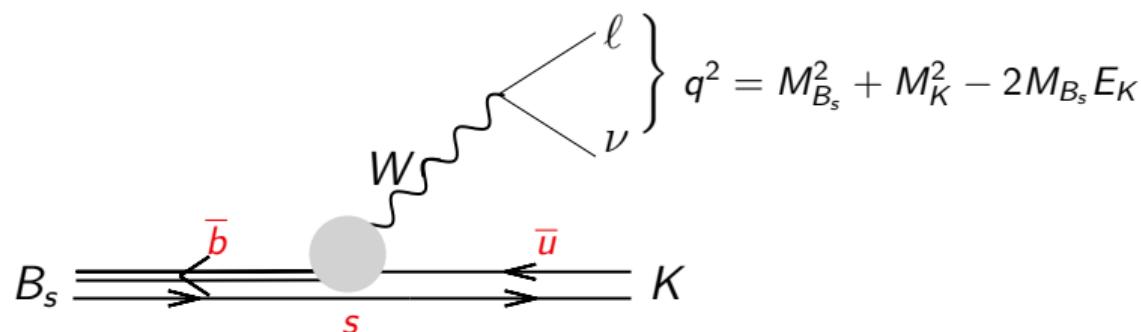
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# $|V_{ub}|$ from exclusive semi-leptonic $B_s \rightarrow K\ell\nu$ decay



- ▶ Conventionally parametrized by ( $B_s$  meson at rest)

$$\frac{d\Gamma(B_s \rightarrow K\ell\nu)}{dq^2} = \frac{G_F^2 |V_{ub}|^2}{24\pi^3} \frac{(q^2 - m_\ell^2)^2 \sqrt{E_K^2 - M_K^2}}{q^4 M_{B_s}^2}$$

|            |     |   |
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| experiment | CKM | known   |
|            |     | $\times \left[ \left(1 + \frac{m_\ell^2}{2q^2}\right) M_{B_s}^2 (E_K^2 - M_K^2)  f_+(q^2) ^2 + \frac{3m_\ell^2}{8q^2} (M_{B_s}^2 - M_K^2)^2  f_0(q^2) ^2 \right]$ |
|            |     | nonperturbative input   |

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## Nonperturbative input

- ▶ Parametrizes interactions due to the (nonperturbative) strong force
- ▶ Use operator product expansion (OPE) to identify short distance contributions
- ▶ Calculate the flavor changing currents as point-like operators using lattice QCD

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## RBC-UKQCD's set-up

- ▶ RBC-UKQCD's 2+1 flavor domain-wall fermion and Iwasaki gauge action ensembles
  - Three lattice spacings  $a \sim 0.11$  fm, 0.08 fm, 0.07 fm; one ensemble with physical pions  
[PRD 78 (2008) 114509][PRD 83 (2011) 074508][PRD 93 (2016) 074505][JHEP 1712 (2017) 008]

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# RBC-UKQCD's set-up

|           | L  | $a^{-1}(\text{GeV})$ | $am_l$   | $am_s$  | $M_\pi(\text{MeV})$ | # configs. | #sources |                        |
|-----------|----|----------------------|----------|---------|---------------------|------------|----------|------------------------|
| C1        | 24 | 1.784                | 0.005    | 0.040   | 338                 | 1636       | 1        | [PRD 78 (2008) 114509] |
| C2        | 24 | 1.784                | 0.010    | 0.040   | 434                 | 1419       | 1        | [PRD 78 (2008) 114509] |
| M1        | 32 | 2.383                | 0.004    | 0.030   | 301                 | 628        | 2        | [PRD 83 (2011) 074508] |
| M2        | 32 | 2.383                | 0.006    | 0.030   | 362                 | 889        | 2        | [PRD 83 (2011) 074508] |
| M3        | 32 | 2.383                | 0.008    | 0.030   | 411                 | 544        | 2        | [PRD 83 (2011) 074508] |
| <i>C0</i> | 48 | 1.730                | 0.00078  | 0.0362  | 139                 | 40         | 81/1*    | [PRD 93 (2016) 074505] |
| M0        | 64 | 2.359                | 0.000678 | 0.02661 | 139                 | —          | —        | [PRD 93 (2016) 074505] |
| F1        | 48 | 2.774                | 0.002144 | 0.02144 | 234                 | 98         | 24       | [JHEP 1712 (2017) 008] |

\* All mode averaging: 81 “sloppy” and 1 “exact” solve [Blum et al. PRD 88 (2012) 094503]

► Lattice spacing determined from combined analysis [Blum et al. PRD 93 (2016) 074505]

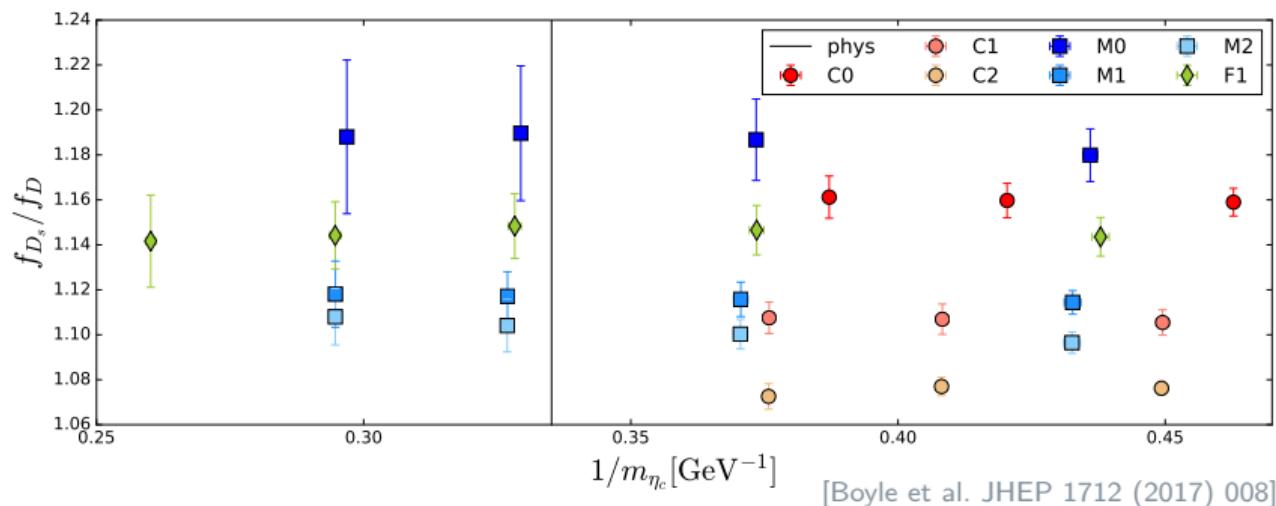
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- ▶ Unitary and partially quenched domain-wall up/down quarks  
[Kaplan PLB 288 (1992) 342], [Shamir NPB 406 (1993) 90]
- ▶ Domain-wall strange quarks at/near the physical value
- ▶ Additional challenge  $m_c = 1.28\text{GeV} \sim 270 \times m_d$   
 $m_b = 4.18\text{GeV} \sim 1000 \times m_d$

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- ▶ Effective relativistic heavy quark (RHQ) action for bottom quarks
  - [Christ et al. PRD 76 (2007) 074505], [Lin and Christ PRD 76 (2007) 074506]
  - Builds upon Fermilab approach [El-Khadra et al. PRD 55 (1997) 3933]
  - Allows to tune the three parameters ( $m_0 a$ ,  $c_P$ ,  $\zeta$ ) nonperturbatively [PRD 86 (2012) 116003]
  - Smooth continuum limit; heavy quark treated to all orders in  $(m_b a)^n$
  - Mostly nonperturbative renormalization [Hashimoto et al. PRD61 (1999) 014502]  
[El-Khadra et al. PRD64 (2001) 014502]

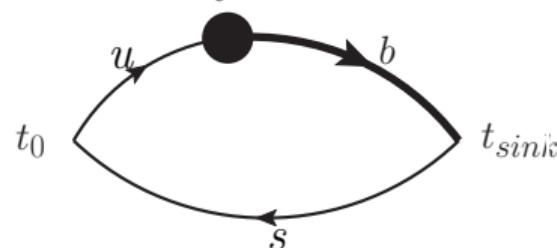
$$Z_V^{bl} = \varrho \sqrt{Z_V^{ll} Z_V^{bb}}$$

$$B_s \rightarrow K \ell \nu$$

## $B_s \rightarrow K\ell\nu$ form factors

- ▶ Parametrize the hadronic matrix element for the flavor changing vector current  $V^\mu$  in terms of the form factors  $f_+(q^2)$  and  $f_0(q^2)$

$$\langle K | V^\mu | B_s \rangle = f_+(q^2) \left( p_{B_s}^\mu + p_K^\mu - \frac{M_{B_s}^2 - M_K^2}{q^2} q^\mu \right) + f_0(q^2) \frac{M_{B_s}^2 - M_K^2}{q^2} q^\mu$$



- ▶ Calculate 3-point function by
  - Inserting a quark source for a strange quark propagator at  $t_0$
  - Allow it to propagate to  $t_{sink}$ , turn it into a sequential source for a  $b$  quark
  - Use a light quark propagating from  $t_0$  and contract both at  $t$  with  $t_0 \leq t \leq t_{sink}$

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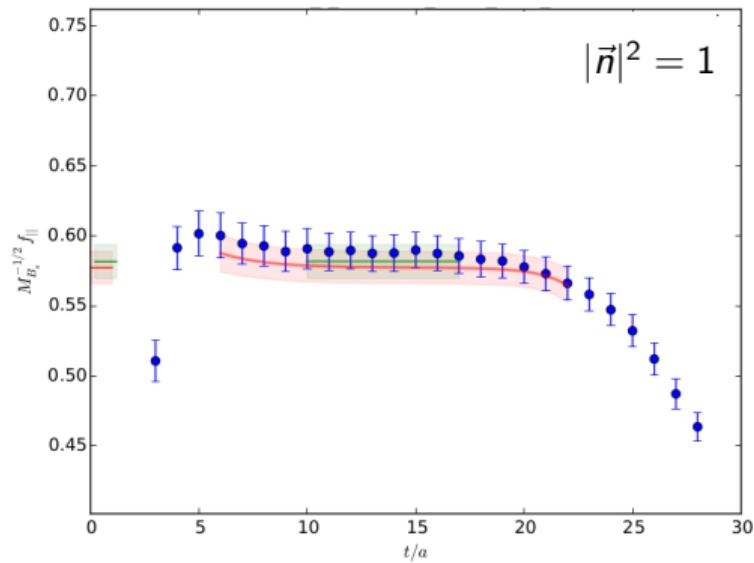
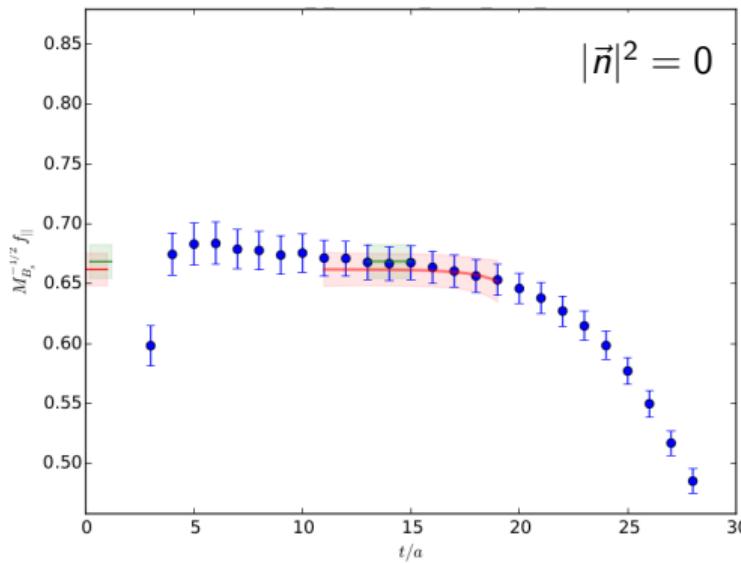
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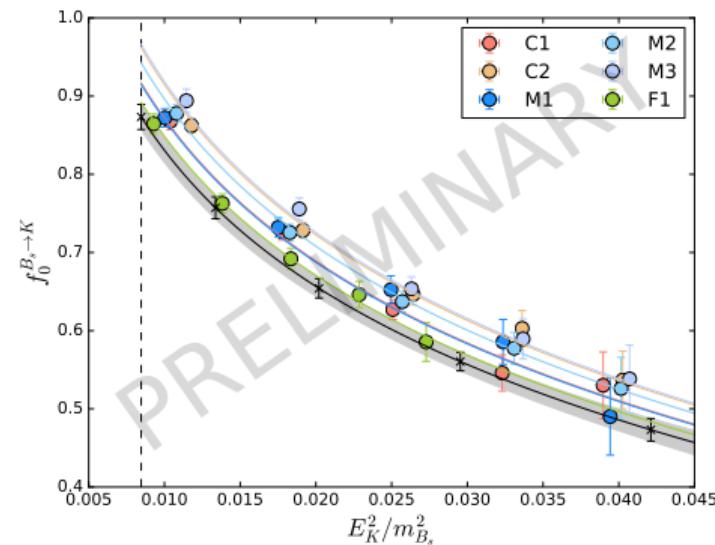
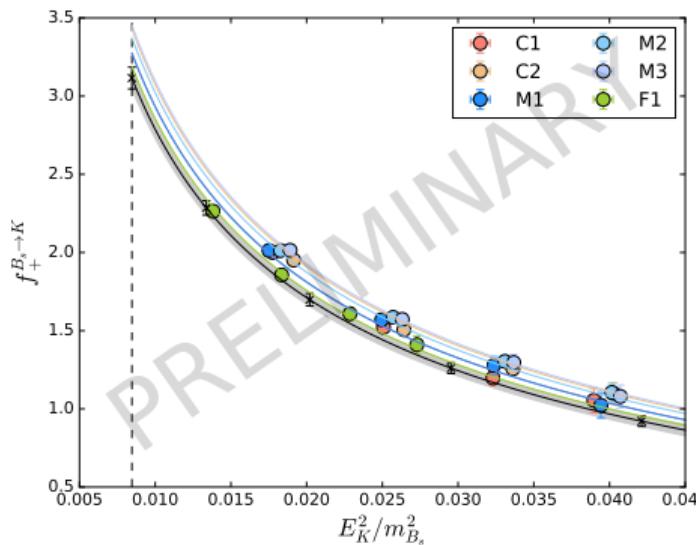
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## $B_s \rightarrow K\ell\nu$ form factors: F1 ensemble



- ▶ Comparison of fit to the ground state only with fit including one excited state term for  $K$  and  $B_s$

# Chiral-continuum extrapolation using SU(2) hard-kaon $\chi$ PT



- ▶ Updating calculation [PRD 91 (2015) 074510] with improved values for  $a^{-1}$  and RHQ parameters
- ▶  $f_{pole}(M_K, E_K, a^2) = \frac{1}{E_K + \Delta} c^{(1)} \times \left[ 1 + \frac{\delta f}{(4\pi f)^2} + c^{(2)} \frac{M_\pi^2}{\Lambda^2} + c^{(3)} \frac{E_K}{\Lambda} + c^{(4)} \frac{E_K^2}{\Lambda^2} + c^{(5)} \frac{a^2}{\Lambda^2 a_{32}^4} \right]$
- ▶  $\delta f$  non-analytic logs of the kaon mass and hard-kaon limit is taken by  $M_K/E_K \rightarrow 0$

## Estimate systematic errors due to

- ▶ Chiral-continuum extrapolation
  - Use alternative fit functions, vary pole mass, etc.
  - Impose different cuts on the data
- ▶ Discretization errors of light and heavy quarks
  - Estimate via power-counting
- ▶ Uncertainty of the renormalization factors
  - Estimate effect of higher loop corrections
- ▶ Finite volume, iso-spin breaking, ...
- ▶ Uncertainty due to RHQ parameters and lattice spacing ( $a^{-1}$ )
  - Carry out additional simulations to test effects on form factors
- ▶ Uncertainty of strange quark mass
  - Repeat simulation with different valence quark mass

⇒ full error budget

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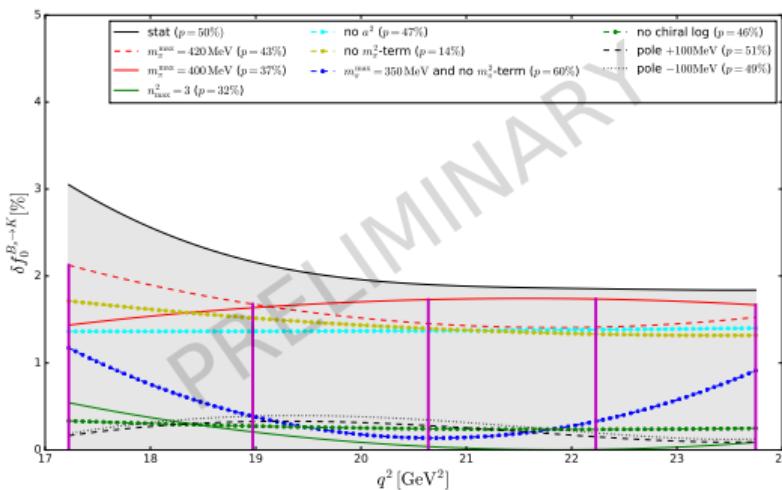
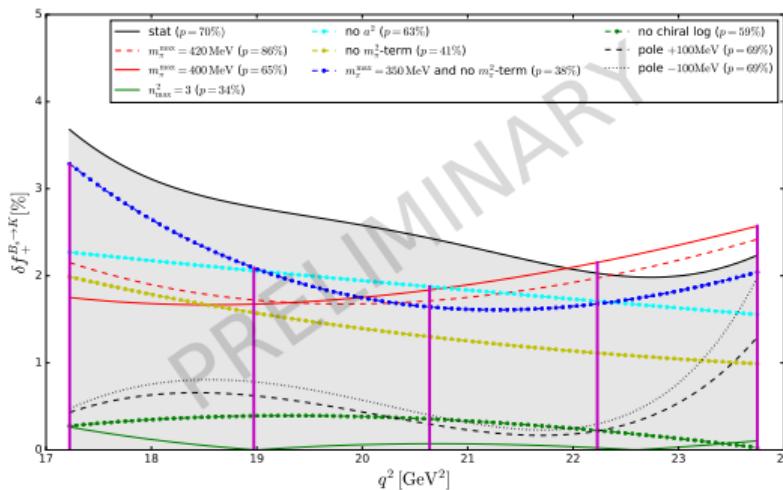
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# PRELIMINARY error budget $B_s \rightarrow K\ell\nu$



►  $\delta f = |f^{\text{variation}} - f^{\text{central}}| / f^{\text{central}}$

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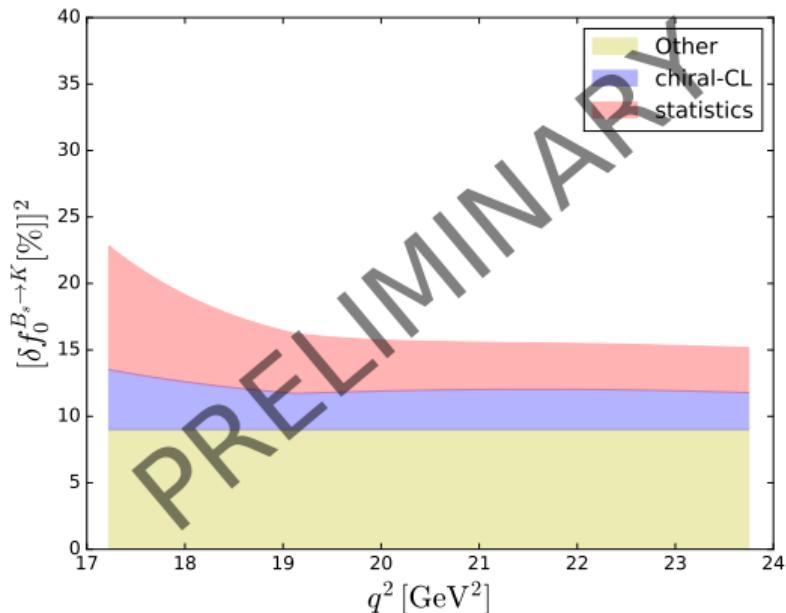
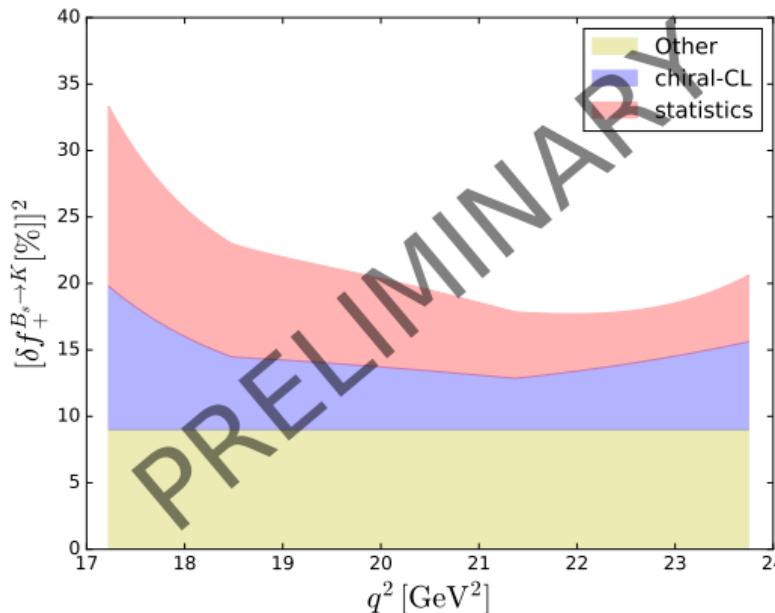
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- ▶ “Other”: 3% placeholder to cover higher order corrections, lattice spacing, finite volume, ...

# Kinematical extrapolation (z-expansion)

- ▶ Map  $q^2$  to  $z$  with minimized magnitude in the semi-leptonic region:  $|z| \leq 0.146$

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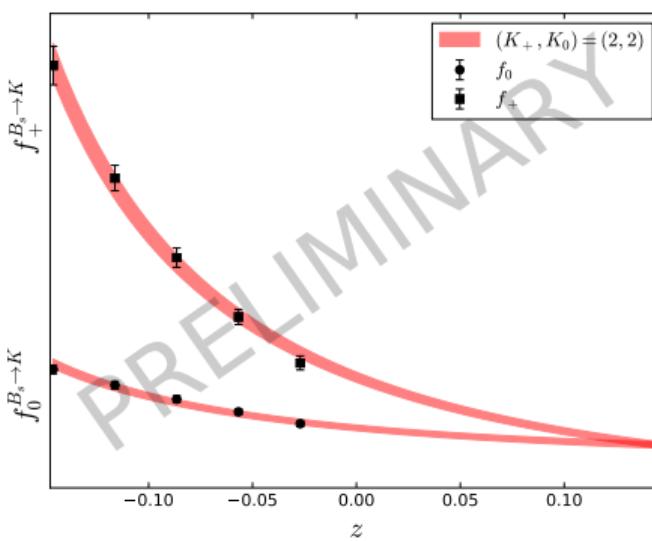
with

$$t_{\pm} = (M_B \pm M_\pi)^2$$

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[Boyd, Grinstein, Lebed, PRL 74 (1995) 4603]

[Bourrely, Caprini, Lellouch, PRD 79 (2009) 013008]



- ▶ Express  $f_+$  as convergent power series

- ▶  $f_0$  is analytic, except for  $B^*$  pole

- ▶ BCL with poles  $M_+ = B^* = 5.33$  GeV and  $M_0 = 5.63$  GeV

- ▶ Exploit kinematic constraint  $f_+ = f_0 \Big|_{q^2=0}$   
 → Include HQ power counting to constrain size of  $f_+$  coefficients

- ▶ Systematic errors subject to changes!

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- ▶ Allows to compare shape of form factors

- Obtained by other lattice calculations

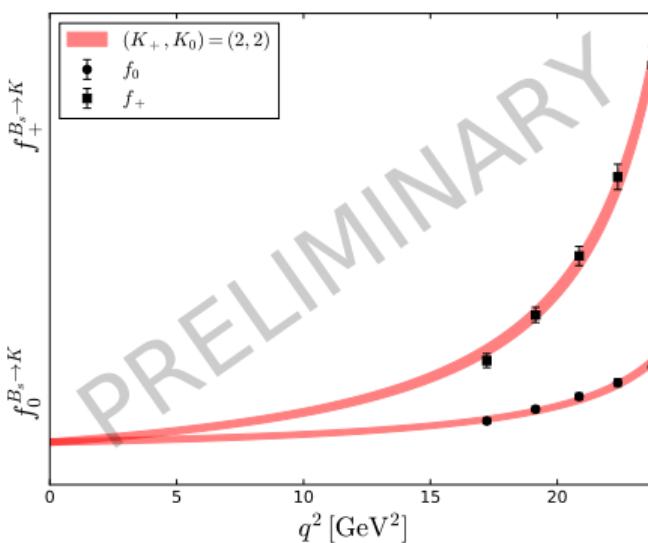
[Bouchard et al. PRD 90 (2014) 054506]

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- Predicted by QCD sum rules and alike

- ▶ Combination with experiment leads to the overall normalization:  $|V_{ub}|$

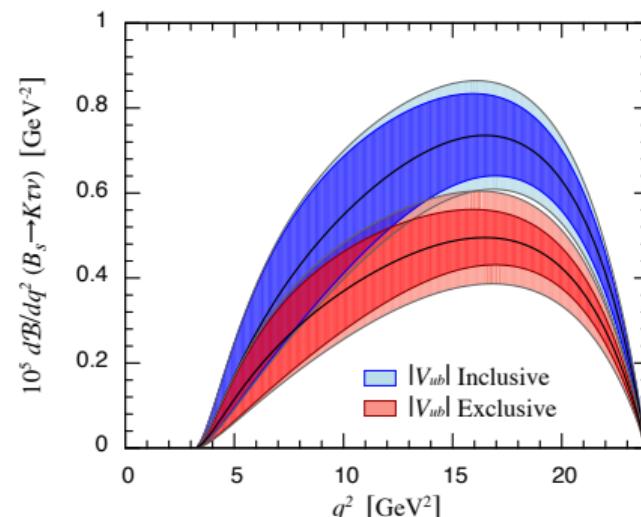
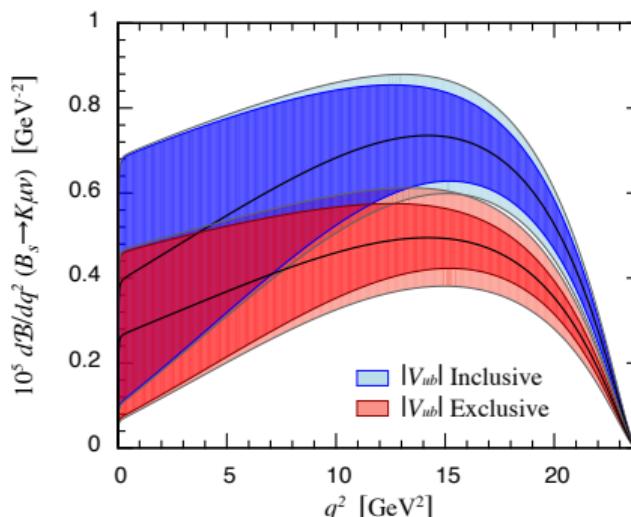
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# Phenomenological interpretation (2015)

 [PRD 91 (2015) 074510]

- Predict SM differential branching fractions using  $|V_{ub}|$  as input for lepton =  $\mu$  or  $\tau$



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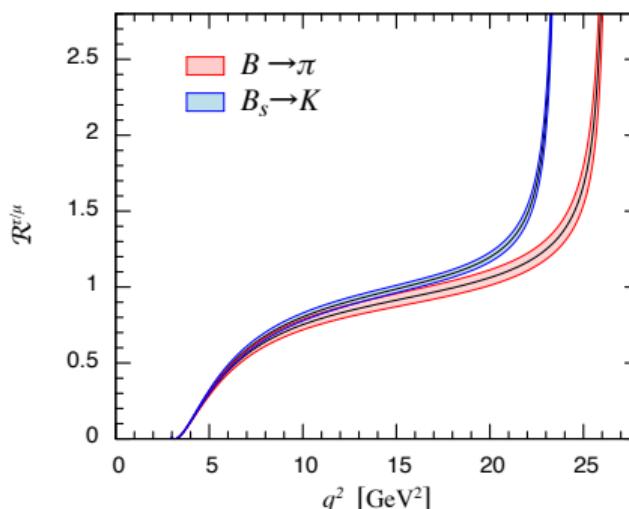
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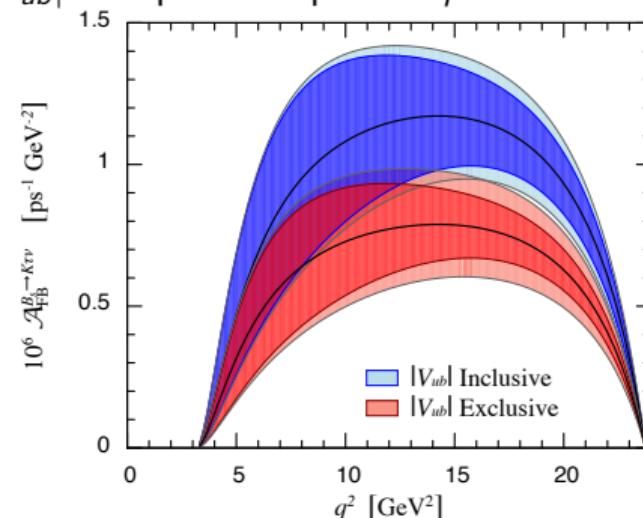
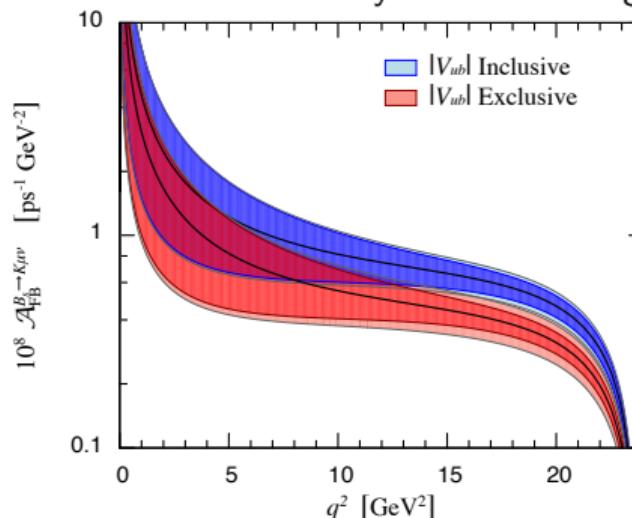


$$R_\pi^{\tau/\mu} = 0.69(19)$$

$$R_K^{\tau/\mu} = 0.77(12)$$

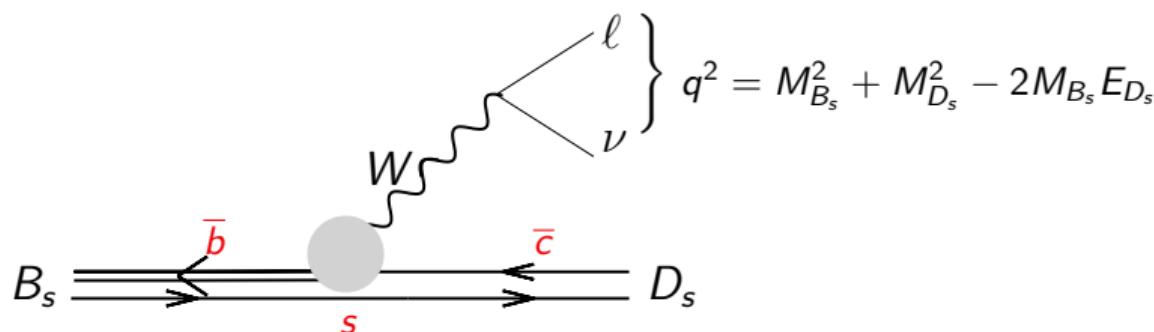
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$$\times \left[ \left( 1 + \frac{m_\ell^2}{2q^2} \right) M_{B_s}^2 (E_{D_s}^2 - M_{D_s}^2) |f_+(q^2)|^2 + \frac{3m_\ell^2}{8q^2} (M_{B_s}^2 - M_{D_s}^2)^2 |f_0(q^2)|^2 \right]$$

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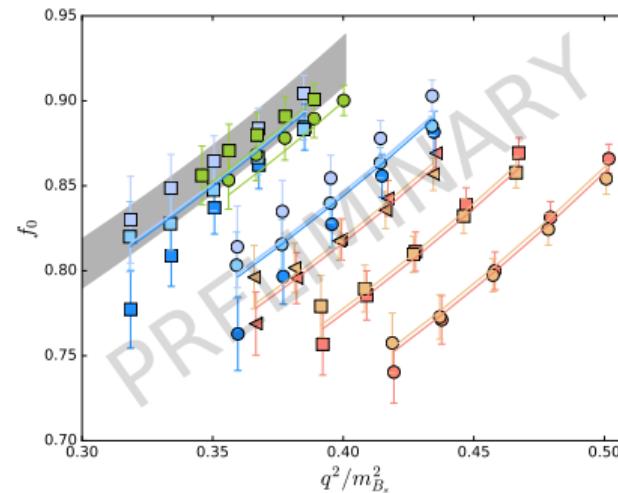
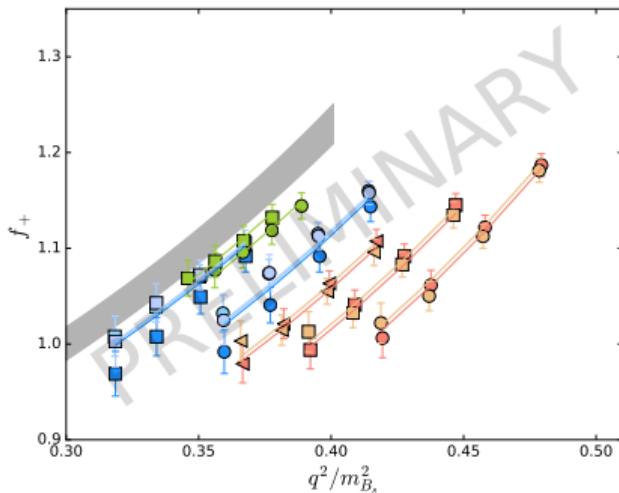
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## Global fit $B_s \rightarrow D_s\ell\nu$



$$\blacktriangleright f(q^2, a, M_\pi, M_{D_s}) = \left[ \alpha_1 + \alpha_2 M_\pi^2 + \sum_{j=1}^{n_{D_s}} \alpha_{3,j} [\Delta M_{D_s}^{-1}]^j + \alpha_4 a^2 \right] P_{a,b} \left( \frac{q^2}{M_{B_s}^2} \right)$$

$$\text{with } \Delta M_{D_s}^{-1} \equiv \left( \frac{1}{M_{D_s}} - \frac{1}{M_{D_s}^{\text{phys}}} \right), \quad P_{a.b}(x) = \frac{1 + \sum_{i=1}^{N_a} a_i x^i}{1 + \sum_{i=1}^{N_b} b_i x^i}$$

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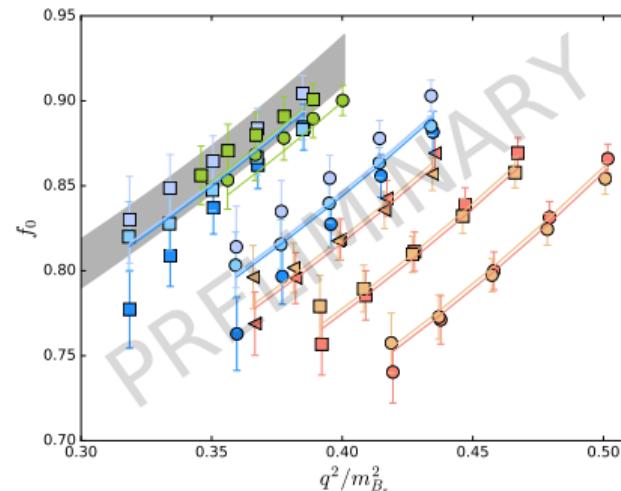
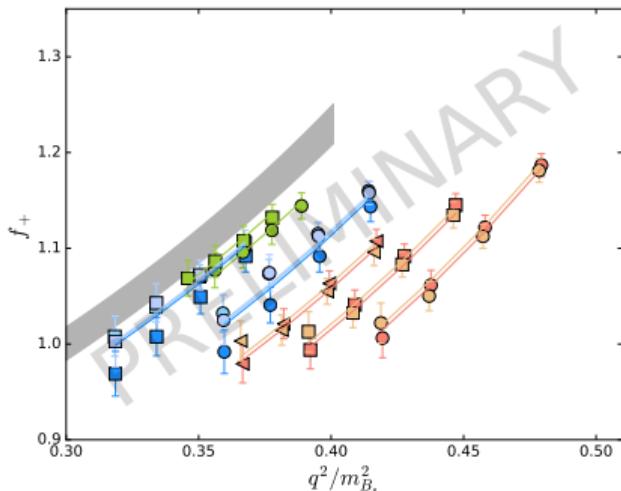
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- ▶ Extrapolation to the continuum limit with physical quark masses

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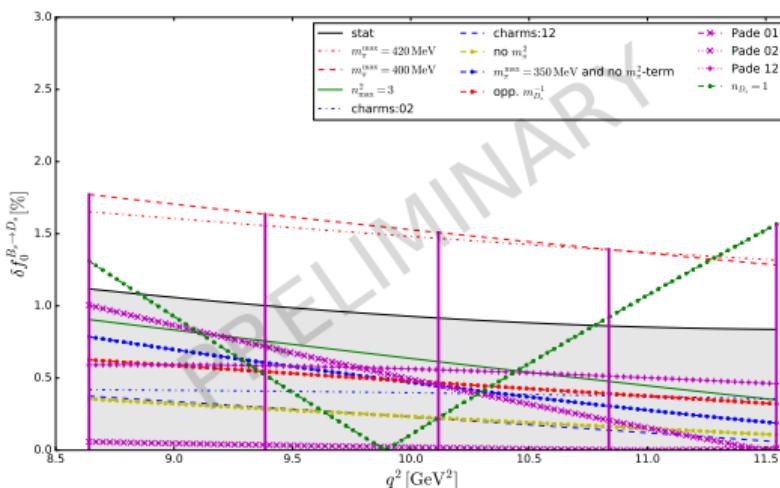
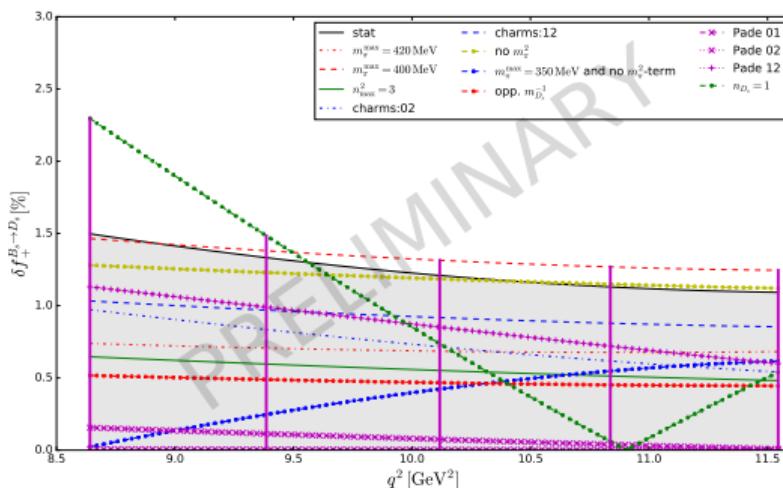
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# PRELIMINARY error budget $B_s \rightarrow D_s\ell\nu$



►  $\delta f = |f^{\text{variation}} - f^{\text{central}}| / f^{\text{central}}$

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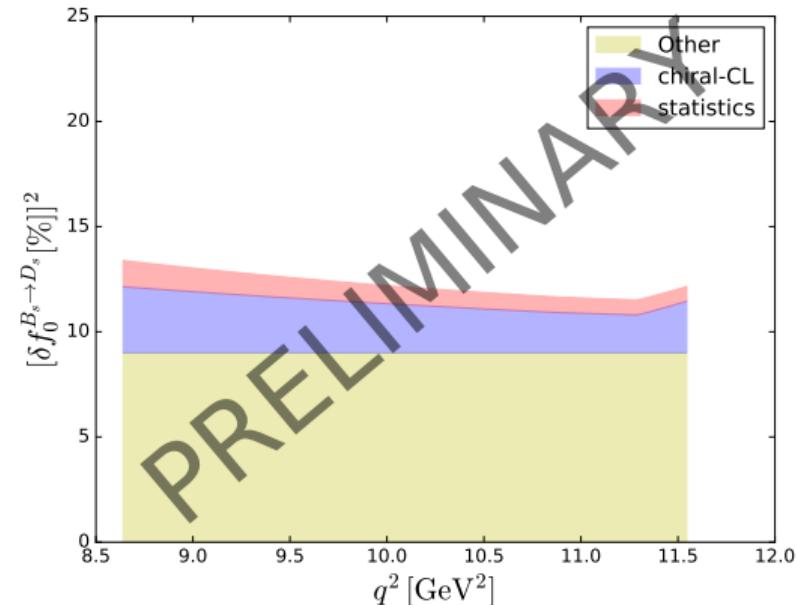
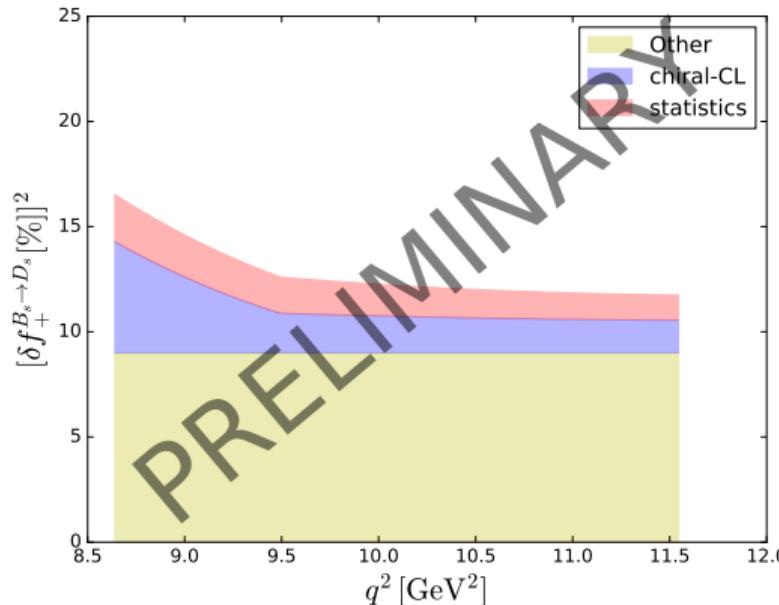
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## PRELIMINARY error budget $B_s \rightarrow D_s\ell\nu$



- ▶ “Other”: 3% placeholder to cover higher order corrections, lattice spacing, finite volume, . . .

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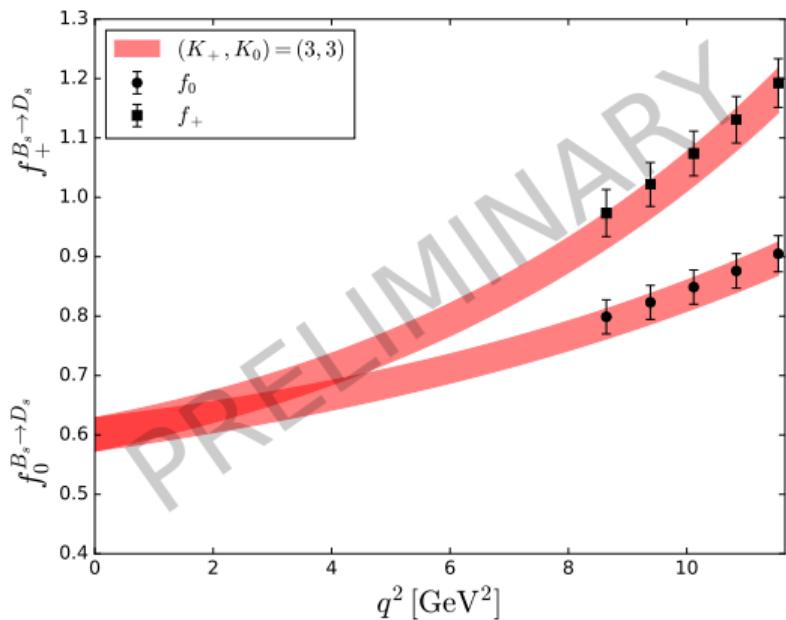
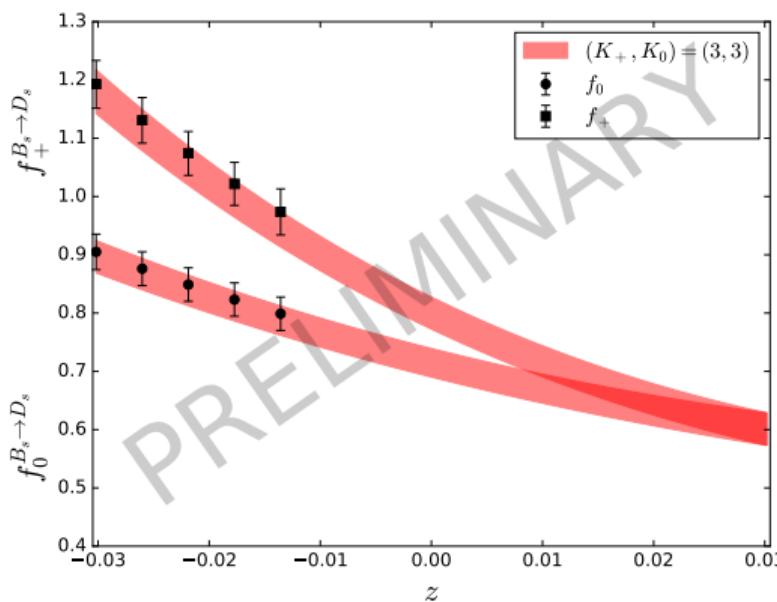
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## z-expansion



- BCL with poles  $M_+ = B_c^* = 6.33 \text{ GeV}$  and  $M_0 = 6.42 \text{ GeV}$   
kinematical constraint  $f_0^{B_s \rightarrow D_s}(0) = f_+^{B_s \rightarrow D_s}(0)$

# Status $B_s \rightarrow K\ell\nu$ and $B_s \rightarrow D_s\ell\nu$

- ▶  $B_s \rightarrow K\ell\nu$  chiral-continuum extrapolation
- ▶  $B_s \rightarrow D_s\ell\nu$  global fit ( $M_\pi$ ,  $M_{D_s}$ ,  $a^2$ ,  $q^2$ )
- ▶ Extract synthetic data points
- ▶ Full systematic error budget
  - RHQ parameter tuning
  - Continuum extrapolation:  
cut to data set, different fit functions, ...
  - Charm extrapolation
  - FV, higher order disc. effects, isospin,  
 $s$ -quark mass tuning, ...
- ▶ z-expansion over full  $q^2$  range
  - BGL vs. BCL
  - Test CLN for  $B_s \rightarrow D_s\ell\nu$
  - Number of synthetic data points
  - Different truncations
  - Incl. vs. excluding  $f_+ = f_0 \Big|_{q^2=0}$
- ▶ Phenomenology:  $R(K)$ ,  $R(D_s)$ , ...

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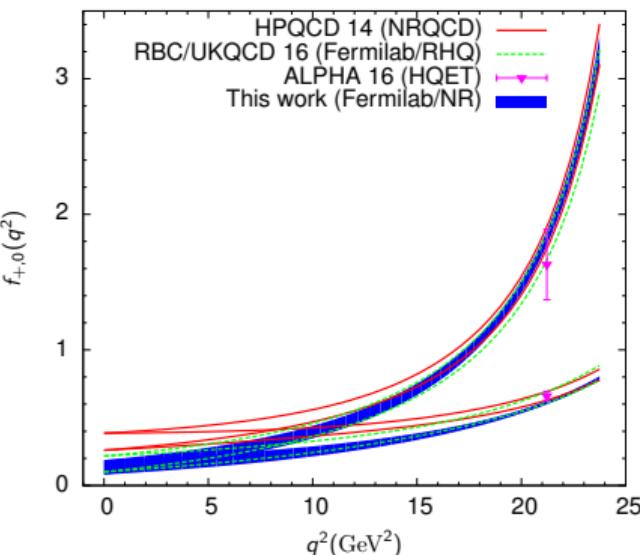
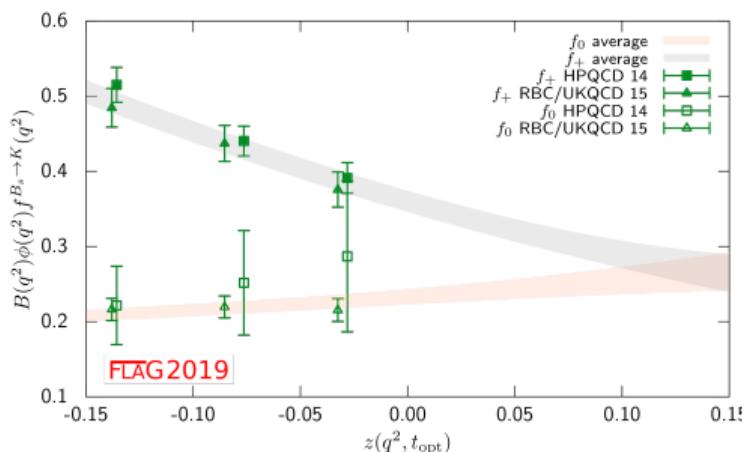
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## $B_s \rightarrow K\ell\nu$



► New FNAL/MILC [arXiv:1901.02561]

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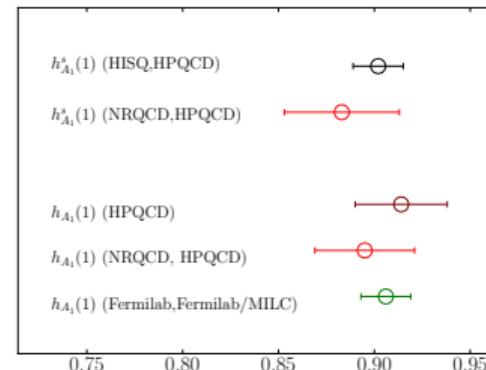
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# $B \rightarrow D_{(s)}^{(*)}\ell\nu$

| Collaboration                 | Ref.       | $N_f$ | publication status | w = 1 form factor / ratio |                      |               |                 |                       |  |
|-------------------------------|------------|-------|--------------------|---------------------------|----------------------|---------------|-----------------|-----------------------|--|
|                               |            |       |                    | continuum extrapolation   | chiral extrapolation | finite volume | renormalization | heavy-quark treatment |  |
| HPQCD 15, HPQCD 17 [614, 616] | [614, 616] | 2+1   | A                  | ○                         | ○                    | ○             | ○               | ✓                     | $\mathcal{G}^{B \rightarrow D}(1)$ 1.035(40)           |
| FNAL/MILC 15C                 | [613]      | 2+1   | A                  | ★                         | ○                    | ★             | ○               | ✓                     | $\mathcal{G}^{B \rightarrow D}(1)$ 1.054(4)(8)         |
| Atoui 13                      | [610]      | 2     | A                  | ★                         | ○                    | ★             | —               | ✓                     | $\mathcal{G}^{B \rightarrow D}(1)$ 1.033(95)           |
| HPQCD 15, HPQCD 17 [614, 616] | [614, 616] | 2+1   | A                  | ○                         | ○                    | ○             | ○               | ✓                     | $\mathcal{G}^{B_s \rightarrow D_s}(1)$ 1.068(40)       |
| Atoui 13                      | [610]      | 2     | A                  | ★                         | ○                    | ★             | —               | ✓                     | $\mathcal{G}^{B_s \rightarrow D_s}(1)$ 1.052(46)       |
| HPQCD 17B                     | [618]      | 2+1+1 | A                  | ○                         | ★                    | ★             | ○               | ✓                     | $\mathcal{F}^{B \rightarrow D^*}(1)$ 0.895(10)(24)     |
| FNAL/MILC 14                  | [612]      | 2+1   | A                  | ★                         | ○                    | ★             | ○               | ✓                     | $\mathcal{F}^{B \rightarrow D^*}(1)$ 0.906(4)(12)      |
| HPQCD 17B                     | [618]      | 2+1+1 | A                  | ○                         | ★                    | ★             | ○               | ✓                     | $\mathcal{F}^{B_s \rightarrow D_s^*}(1)$ 0.883(12)(28) |
| HPQCD 15, HPQCD 17 [614, 616] | [614, 616] | 2+1   | A                  | ○                         | ○                    | ○             | ○               | ✓                     | $R(D)$ 0.300(8)  |
| FNAL/MILC 15C                 | [613]      | 2+1   | A                  | ★                         | ○                    | ★             | ○               | ✓                     | $R(D)$ 0.299(11)                                       |

- ▶ New HPQCD  $B_s \rightarrow D_s\ell\nu$  [arXiv:1906.00701]
- ▶ New HPQCD  $B_s \rightarrow D_s^*\ell\nu$  [arXiv:1904.02046]



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# Outlook

- ▶ Second (third) entirely independent analysis completed
- ▶ In the final stages to complete  $B_s \rightarrow K\ell\nu$  and  $B_s \rightarrow D_s\ell\nu$  form factor calculation
  - As usual, carefully estimating all systematic uncertainties is tedious
- ▶ Our lattice calculation also includes
  - $B \rightarrow \pi\ell\nu$ ,  $B \rightarrow \pi\ell^+\ell^-$
  - $B \rightarrow K^*\ell^+\ell^-$
  - $B \rightarrow D^{(*)}\ell\nu$
  - $B_s \rightarrow K^*\ell^+\ell^-$
  - $B_s \rightarrow D_s^*\ell\nu$
  - $B_s \rightarrow \phi\ell^+\ell^-$
  - ...
- ▶ Current status  $B_s \rightarrow K\ell\nu$  and  $B_s \rightarrow D_s\ell\nu$ :  
[arXiv:1903.02100]
- ▶ Future
  - Add  $48^3 \times 96$  ensemble with physical pions
- ▶ Parallel efforts: SU(3) breaking ratios  
[arXiv:1812.08791]
  - Talk by J. Tobias Tsang

# Resources for RBC-UKQCD's calculation

USQCD: Ds, Bc, and pi0 cluster (Fermilab), qcd12s cluster (Jlab), skylake cluster (BNL)

RBC qcdcl (RIKEN) and cuth (Columbia U)

UK: ARCHER, Cirrus (EPCC) and DiRAC (UKQCD)



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[DiRAC]